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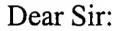
Re:

Application of Satoshi FUJIOKA

RECORDING APPARATUS

Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q68022



Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-two (32) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and, eighteen (18) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

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Total claims	15 - 20	=	X	\$18.00	= _	\$.00
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Priority is claimed from:

Country	Application No	Filing Date
Japan	2001-2338	January 10, 2001
Japan	2001-9529	January 17, 2001
Japan	2001-383975	December 18, 2001

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC Attorneys for Applicant

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